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Head of Threat Labs

Siggi Stefnission joined Avast in March 2021 as Head of Threat Labs, a team of more than 100 security experts dedicated to stopping malware attacks. His team's main focus lies in developing new analytical capabilities to map, understand and stop new threats in real-time.

Siggi has more than 20 years of experience in computer and information security, having worked as a virus and malware researcher. Prior to joining Avast, he was VP of Threat Research and Detection at Cyren, an internet security technology company, where he led more than 100 people across five countries. Siggi has extensive experience in reverse engineering, system architecture, data science and research, among others.

Siggi is a member of CARO and in his free time, he enjoys reading, cycling and hiking.